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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, PINR, US, CU, BE

SUBJECT: LAWRENCE KIRBY LUNT

REF: BRUSSELS 04438

1. THE U.S. RAISED THE ISSUE OF AMERICAN PRISONERS  
IN RECENT BILATERAL TALKS WITH CUBA. WE BELIEVE LUNT AND  
OTHER PRISONERS PROBABLY WILL ONLY BE RELEASED IN THE  
CONTEXT OF IMPROVING U.S.-CUBAN RELATIONS.

2. DOUBT THAT A NEW BELGIAN DEMARCHE ON LUNT WOULD BE  
PRODUCTIVE. BUT WE OF COURSE HAVE NO OBJECTION IF THEY  
WISH TO RAISE CASE DURING VISIT OF DIRGEN OF CUBAN FOREIGN  
MINISTRY.

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